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1. [ ] At the request of Mr. Boyd Crawford, Staff Administrator, House Foreign Affairs Committee, I went by to see him to discuss Marian A. Czarnecki's request on briefing Representative Edna F. Kelly (D., N. Y.). (See previous Journal items.) Crawford asked that, if possible, we provide some piece of information in response to Mrs. Kelly's request thereby avoiding a flat refusal to Mrs. Kelly. He said if this were absolutely impossible, he would take the matter up with Chairman Thomas E. Morgan (D., Pa.). (See Memo for the Record, dated 30 July 1962, for details.)

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2. [ ] Steve Zagorski, State Department Liaison, called to say the Department has a letter from one of Senator Jacob J. Kavits' constituents which the Senator has forwarded to the Department. It refers to an article in CAVALIER MAGAZINE referring to the Agency. Mr. Zagorski is sending us a copy of the constituent's letter and requests our advice on how the Department should respond.

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3. [ ] [ ] called to say that as a follow-up to a request from Bill McHale (Senator Smathers' office) to [ ] would be meeting tomorrow with McHale. McHale apparently has several individuals that he would like us to talk with. This is an exploratory visit on [ ] part.

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Later, in [ ] absence, I called Jack Blake and reminded him of the outstanding DD/P instruction concerning disclosure of information to the Congress. I told Blake I wanted him to know that [ ] conversation with us should not be construed as giving him authority to pass any information to McHale.

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4. [ ] Left with Senate Foreign Relations Committee the Director's letter to the Chairman on S. 3459, to provide for one additional Assistant Secretary of State.

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5. [ ] Left with Miss McShan, on the staff of the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, [ ]

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25X1 6. [ ] Talked with Jack Leahy, State Department, concerning the status of the reciprocity amendment to the Communications Act. Leahy said that Mr. Borchardt, of the House Commerce Committee, had again asked him if CIA would provide witnesses for the hearings and Leahy again indicated that we would not. Borchardt then asked if an Agency representative would talk with Chairman Harris concerning our interest in the bill, and Leahy again said he thought that we would. I told Leahy I would talk further with Mr. Warner about this.

25X1 7. [ ] Returned to Doris McCracken, House Foreign Affairs Committee staff, the three transcripts of Captive Nations' hearings which we had received on a loan basis from her.

25X1 9. [ ] The Director appeared before the CIA Subcommittee of House Armed Services. See Memorandum for the Record.

25X1 10. [ ] Firmed up arrangements through William Darden for the Director to appear before the Russell Subcommittee of Senate Armed Services at 10:30 a.m. on 1 August. Mr. Darden stated the Chairman wished to have a record taken of the proceedings and we will furnish the reporter. [ ] Mr. Darden also indicated the Chairman had matters which he wished to raise with the Director and indicated these points concerned the negotiations for a nuclear test ban agreement. (The Director was advised of this point.)

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